

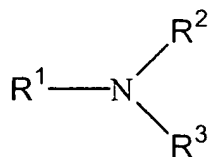
IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (previously presented) A method of enhancing herbicidal activity of a glyphosate herbicide, comprising adding to said glyphosate herbicide a first surfactant and a second surfactant to form a composition consisting essentially of glyphosate, a first surfactant, and a second surfactant at a weight ratio of total surfactant to glyphosate acid equivalent of about 1:30 to about 2:1, wherein said first surfactant has a chemical structure comprising a cationic or protonatable amino group and a  $C_{8-24}$  hydrocarbyl group, and said second surfactant has the chemical formula



where R is a  $C_{7-23}$  hydrocarbyl group, n is 1 to 4, M is hydrogen or a cationic counterion, and R' groups are each independently hydrogen,  $C_{1-4}$  alkyl or a group  $-(CH_2)_m-COOM$  where m is 1 to 4 and M is as defined immediately above, with the proviso that no more than one R' group is such a group  $-(CH_2)_m-COOM$  and the weight ratio of said first surfactant to said second surfactant being about 1:10 to about 10:1.

2. (currently amended) The method of Claim 1 wherein said first surfactant is selected from: a tertiary alkylamine and alkyletheramine; polyoxyethylene tertiary alkylamine and alkyletheramine ~~alkyletheramine~~; quaternary ammonium; pyridine; imidazoline; polyoxyethylene alkylamine and alkyletheramine oxide; an alkylbetaine; and alkyl diamine and a polyoxyethylene alkyl diamine.
3. (original) The method of Claim 1 wherein said first surfactant is a tertiary alkylamine or alkyletheramine surfactant having the chemical formula



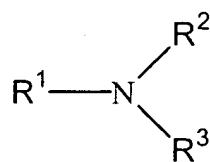
where  $R^1$  is a  $C_{8-24}$  hydrocarbyl group, optionally interrupted by one or more ether linkages, and  $R^2$  and  $R^3$  are (a) independently  $C_{1-4}$  alkyl groups, or (b) polyoxyalkylene chains having in total 2 to about 100  $C_{2-4}$  alkylene oxide units.

4. (original) The method of Claim 3 wherein  $R^1$  is a  $C_{12-18}$  hydrocarbyl group and  $R^2$  and  $R^3$  are polyoxyethylene chains having in total 2 to about 100 ethylene oxide units.
5. (original) The method of Claim 1 wherein, in the chemical formula for said second surfactant, the group  $R-CO-$  is a  $C_{12-18}$  linear acyl moiety derived from one or more fatty acids.
6. (original) The method of Claim 1 wherein said second surfactant is an  $N-(C_{12-18}$  linear acyl) derivative of an  $\alpha$ -amino acid.
7. (original) The method of Claim 6 wherein said  $\alpha$ -amino acid is selected from alanine, aspartic acid, glutamic acid, glycine, isoleucine, leucine, sarcosine and valine.
8. (original) The method of Claim 6 wherein said  $\alpha$ -amino acid is sarcosine.
9. (original) The method of Claim 1 wherein said first surfactant and said second surfactant are present in a weight ratio of about 1:5 to about 5:1.
10. (original) The method of Claim 1 wherein the weight ratio of total surfactant to glyphosate acid equivalent is about 1:10 to about 1:1.

11. (original) The method of Claim 1 wherein the weight ratio of total surfactant to glyphosate acid equivalent is about 1:6 to about 1:2.
12. (original) The method of Claim 1 wherein the glyphosate herbicide is a water-soluble salt of glyphosate with a monovalent counterion.
13. (original) The method of Claim 12 wherein the salt of glyphosate is selected from sodium, potassium, ammonium,  $C_{1-16}$  organic ammonium and  $C_{1-16}$  organic sulfonium salts.
14. (original) The method of Claim 12 wherein the salt of glyphosate is selected from sodium, potassium, ammonium, dimethylammonium, monoethanolammonium, n-propylammonium, isopropylammonium and trimethylsulfonium salts.
15. (currently amended) A herbicidal composition consisting essentially of comprising (a) a glyphosate herbicide; (b) a first surfactant having a chemical structure comprising ~~consisting essentially of~~ a cationic or protonatable amino group and a  $C_{8-24}$  hydrocarbyl group; and (c) a second surfactant having the chemical formula
 
$$R-CO-NR'-(CR'_2)_n-COOM$$
 where R is a  $C_{7-23}$  hydrocarbyl group, n is 1 to 4, M is hydrogen or a cationic counterion, and R' groups are each independently hydrogen,  $C_{1-4}$  alkyl or a group  $-(CH_2)_m-COOM$  where m is 1 to 4 and M is as defined immediately above, with the proviso that no more than one R' group is such a group  $-(CH_2)_m-COOM$ ; the weight ratio of said first surfactant to said second surfactant being about 1:10 to about 10:1, and the weight ratio of total surfactant to glyphosate acid equivalent being about 1:30 to about 2:1.
16. (currently amended) The composition of Claim 15 wherein said first surfactant is selected from: tertiary alkylamine and alkyletheramine; polyoxyethylene tertiary alkylamine and

alkyletheramine ~~alkyletheramine~~; quaternary ammonium; pyridine; imidazoline; polyoxyethylene alkylamine and alkyletheramine oxide; an alkylbetaine; and alkyl diamine and polyoxyethylene alkyl diamine.

17. (original) The composition of Claim 15 wherein said first surfactant is a tertiary alkylamine or alkyletheramine surfactant having the chemical formula



where  $\text{R}^1$  is a  $\text{C}_{8-24}$  hydrocarbyl group, optionally interrupted by one or more ether linkages, and  $\text{R}^2$  and  $\text{R}^3$  are (a) independently  $\text{C}_{1-4}$  alkyl groups, or (b) polyoxyalkylene chains having in total 2 to about 100  $\text{C}_{2-4}$  alkylene oxide units.

18. (original) The composition of Claim 17 wherein  $\text{R}^1$  is a  $\text{C}_{12-18}$  hydrocarbyl group and  $\text{R}^2$  and  $\text{R}^3$  are polyoxyethylene chains having in total 2 to about 100 ethylene oxide units.
19. (original) The composition of Claim 15 wherein, in the chemical formula for said second surfactant, the group  $\text{R-CO-}$  is a  $\text{C}_{12-18}$  linear acyl moiety derived from one or more fatty acids.
20. (original) The composition of Claim 15 wherein said second surfactant is an  $\text{N-(C}_{12-18}$  linear acyl) derivative of an  $\alpha$ -amino acid.
21. (original) The composition of Claim 20 wherein said  $\alpha$ -amino acid is selected from alanine, aspartic acid, glutamic acid, glycine, isoleucine, leucine, sarcosine and valine.

22. (original) The composition of Claim 20 wherein said  $\alpha$ -amino acid is sarcosine.
23. (original) The composition of Claim 15 wherein said first surfactant and said second surfactant are present in a weight ratio of about 1:5 to about 5:1.
24. (original) The composition of Claim 15 wherein the weight ratio of total surfactant to glyphosate acid equivalent is about 1:10 to about 1:1.
25. (original) The composition of Claim 15 wherein the weight ratio of total surfactant to glyphosate acid equivalent is about 1:6 to about 1:2.
26. (original) The composition of Claim 15 wherein the glyphosate herbicide is a water-soluble salt of glyphosate with a monovalent counterion.
27. (original) The composition of Claim 26 wherein the salt of glyphosate is selected from sodium, potassium, ammonium, C<sub>1-16</sub> organic ammonium and C<sub>1-16</sub> organic sulfonium salts.
28. (original) The composition of Claim 26 wherein the salt of glyphosate is selected from sodium, potassium, ammonium, dimethylammonium, monoethanolammonium, n-propylammonium, isopropylammonium and trimethylsulfonium salts.
29. (original) The composition of Claim 15 that is a dilute aqueous plant treatment composition having a glyphosate acid equivalent content of about 0.1% to about 10% by weight.

30. (original) The composition of Claim 15 that is an aqueous concentrate composition having a glyphosate acid equivalent content of about 10% to about 50% by weight.
31. (original) The composition of Claim 15 that is a dry water-soluble or water-dispersible composition having a glyphosate acid equivalent content of about 5% to about 80% by weight.
32. (original) A method of killing or controlling weeds comprising application to foliage of said weeds a composition of Claim 29 in a volume of about 25 to about 1000 l/ha.